

# XMAS RACKET NOW ON

IT WILL PAY YOU TO READ EVERY WORD!

I am now prepared to give the public the best service and the Lowest Cash Prices that have ever been given in the city of Durham. It is an established fact that the Racket Grocery is Headquarters for Good Fresh Goods and Low Cash Prices. I don't hesitate to make this assertion, and I can prove it to you if you will only call to see me. Thousands of people who have been benefited by my Low Cash Prices will bear me out in this statement. I always make it a point not to advertise anything that I cannot and will not do if called upon.

 **AND NOW TO THE POINT!** 

  
**FOR XMAS!**

I now have on sale one of the largest stocks of Plain and Fancy Candies—basket and bucket mixtures—that has ever been put on sale in this city, which I will sell at Richmond and Baltimore jobbers prices, freight added. And in Fire Works I propose to meet their prices and save you your freight.

I also have a cheap stock of Toys and Dolls for the jobbing trade.



  
**FOR XMAS!**

In Fruits, Nuts and Confectioneries I don't count on being undersold.

And in addition to the above I claim to have some of the cheapest Tea, Toilet and Dinner Sets ever put before the public. Also a complete line of Plain White Tableware.

I make a specialty of Snuff, Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes.



And now last, but not least, I can sell you



 **Heavy and Fancy Groceries!**

**At Prices Which Will Astonish the Oldest Inhabitants.**

I buy my Canned Goods direct from the Packers; my Flour direct from the Millers; my Sugars direct from the Refiners; my Coffees and Teas direct from the Importers, thereby saving the Middle Man's commissions, and giving them to my customers. All I ask is a trial, then if I fail to prove to you what I have put in this advertisement, publish me as an impostor and a fraud, and I will pay for the advertisement. And if I do fulfill my writing, all I ask you to do is to come and see me again and bring your neighbors, and you shall all go home pleased with your purchases.

 **REMEMBER THE PLACE, THE RACKET GROCERY,** 

On the corner of Parrish and Mangum streets, opposite Parrish's Warehouse. All goods delivered f. o. b. cars at Durham, or anywhere in the city limits. Nothing more until we meet. Your friend,

**W. H. PROCTOR.**